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In Re Application of:  
F. MAKISHMINA et al  
Serial No.: 945,459  
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For: NOVEL PROTEIN...THE SAME

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claim 48.

REMARKS

The present amendment is being submitted in order to cancel  
claim 48.

The claims remaining in the application are claims 17 to 47.

Respectfully submitted,  
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The present amendment is being submitted in order to cancel claim 48. The claims remaining in the application are claims 17 to 47.

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